# Idaho Commission For Libraries

# SCHOOL PARTNERSHIPS

\* Conferences & Resources http://libraries.idaho.gov/landing/school-libraries

## TRAINING

**Read To Me:** Early Childhood Literacy, ages birth to 8 years.

**Summer Reading Programs:** Check the website or contact Staci Shaw for more information about available and scheduled Training Sessions.

## **PUBLICATIONS**

#### The Bookworm:

A monthly on-line pdf to print as a parent resource for ages birth to 1st grade.

http://libraries.idaho.gov/page/bookworm

## The Nexus:

A bi-monthly e-mail newsletter subscription with statewide information for libraries, programs & grants. http://libraries.idaho.gov/node/9173

## The Scoop:

A monthly e-mail newsletter subscription specific for youth services with news, information and a variety of ideas. http://libraries.idaho.gov/page/scoop

# **GRANTS**

Subscribing to The Scoop as well as checking the website frequently, will keep you aware of grant possibilities.

http://libraries.idaho.gov/landing/every-child-ready-to-read

# MATERIALS/RESOURCES

A variety of resources are available. Contact Staci, Erica or Stephanie for more information. FREE Early Childhood Literacy Materials

- \* Parent Guides
- \* Available in Spanish/English
- \* Bookmarks

The FREE Early Childhood Literacy Materials are a great compliment to any Idaho Reads! VISTA event. http://libraries.idaho.gov/doc/support-materials

## SPECIAL PROGRAMS

## Every Child Ready To Read:

A series of parent workshops focusing on the six early literacy skills. http://libraries.idaho.gov/landing/every-child-ready-to-read

#### First Book:

A free book to each child during the school year. Participating libraries only. http://libraries.idaho.gov/landing/first-book

## Jumpstart:

VISTA Volunteers can sign-up for this free program that provides a book for all children at kindergarten registration along with early literacy information for parents.

http://libraries.idaho.gov/jumpstart

### **Talking Book Service:**

The Idaho Talking Book Service loans books and magazines in audio format for people unable to read standard print material due to a physical disability. The disability can be temporary or permanent. http://libraries.idaho.gov/landing/talking-book-service

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